

**AMENDMENT****In the Claims:**

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Please amend claims 1 and 4 as follows:

1. (amended) A pressure sensitive adhesive cover tape comprising a polyester substrate having at least one major surface including a longitudinal section between a first edge strip and a second edge strip said at least one major surface supporting on at least a portion thereof:

A1 a) a layer of an electrically conductive coating disposed in said longitudinal section, said electrically conductive coating comprising a dispersion of a conductive polymer selected from the group consisting of polythiophenes and polyanilines, said polymer having a conjugated polymer backbone, said dispersion containing at least one polymeric polyanion compounds, and at least one binder, and

b) a layer comprising a polymeric pressure-sensitive adhesive composition, positioned at each of said first edge strip and said second edge strip, said cover tape having a degree of clarity of from about 80% to about 99%, and a surface resistance of from about  $1 \times 10^4$  Ohm to about  $1 \times 10^{12}$  Ohm.

A2 4. (amended) A pressure-sensitive cover tape according to claim 1, wherein said polythiophene dispersion comprises poly (3,4-ethylenedioxy-thiophene).

Enclosed herewith is a version of the amended claims with markings to show changes made relative to the earlier version of claims.